BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

		Normal.	*Current.*
Prices of food grains—Rice	...	... 10 to 11	7 to 8
Ragi	...	... 25 to 30	19 to 20

Fields are being ploughed.

Cattle are in good condition.

Water sufficient. Fodder growing dear.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Gingelly, haraka, sugar-cane, and paddy are being sown in certain parts. Vysak paddy is harvested in Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks. Standing crops are in good condition. Raiyats are engaged in preparing their lands for cultivation.

10. Prospects generally good and food stocks available.

11. Fever prevails in Hoskote, Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, cholum and turmeric, are reported to be in good condition. Cholum in Sidlaghatta; puniji paddy in Chikballapur; turmeric, kulthi and haraka in Goribidnur, are being sown. Paddy and cholum in Bagepalli; paddy in Goribidnur are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season have improved. Rain is badly wanted in parts of Kolar Taluk.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy and sugar-cane in Tumkur, Gubbi, and Kunigal; paddy in Maddagiri, Pavagada and Koratagere; sugar-cane in Turuvekere, are being harvested. Cholum, black and green grams and gingelly seeds in Chiknayakanhalli and Sira; pigeon pea and castor in Sira are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season fair.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, car paddy, sugar-cane, ragi and cholum, togari, gingelly, castor, ballar, cotton, harka, black and green grams and mulberry are reported to be in a good condition. Ragi in parts of Seringapatam and car paddy in parts of Chamrajnagar are being sown. Black and green grams are being harvested in parts of Seringapatam.

10. Prospects of the season fair. None employed on relief works. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient for the present.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available in all parts of the district.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, ragi, etc., are reported to be in good condition in all parts except in the in Hole-Narsipur and Channarayapatna Taluks, where the seedlings are said to be slightly withering for want of sufficient rain.

10. Prospects of the season are improving. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good. Small-pox is reported to be slightly prevalent in the town of Hole-Narsipur and certain villages of that taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water are available.

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SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied, but prices are still high.

9. Lands are being ploughed and prepared for sowing paddy throughout the district. Paddy has been partly sown in the Malnad and Semi-malnad Taluks. Sessamum in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks, and green gram in the Honnali Taluk have been sown. The standing crop of sugar-cane is in good condition.

10. Prospects fair. There was some rainfall during the week, but more is wanted. Food stocks are sufficient.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops of sugar-cane are good in the Kadur, Tarikere and Chikmagalur Taluks and also at Koppa. Green gram and maize sown in the Tarikere Taluk are in good condition. Maize, coriander, green gram and black gram are in good condition in the Kadur Taluk. Ploughing operations are in progress in the Mudgere Taluk and the Sringeri Jahgir.

10. Prospects favourable. Food stocks are available in all the taluks and are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle are reported to be thriving well in all the taluks. Fodder is available in sufficient quantities in all the taluks except at Kadur and Koppa where it is rather scanty.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Castor, cholum, chillies, sessamum, togari, green and black grains are being sown in some parts of Challakere, Hiriyur, Davangere, Holalkere, Jagalur and Molkalmuru Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder is insufficient in parts of the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks.

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